Congress Leaders Getting More Protests Against Mounting Tax Bills.

CLOUD ON THE HORIZON

All Sections Are Becoming Aroused in Fight to End Extravagance.

BUDGET TO BE EXPENSIVE

Reorganization of the Departments in Making Reforms Is Found to Be Costly.

Special Despatch to THE NEW YORK HERALD. New York Herald Bureau. Washington, D. C., June 5.

where to begin economies that will materially reduce the total annual expenditures, and meanwhile these protests, evidence of which is accumulating daily here are assuming the

Senate to the naval bill.

personnel, which was fixed by the House at 150,000. The same group in the Sen-ate that fought the naval bill increases will continue its fight on the larger army with much the same kind of argu-

that reforms are expensive to initiate. It is becoming very difficult to curtail the number of Government employees both in Washington and in the fleid. One Senator stated to-day there are in the War Department 500 more employees in one bureau alone, that of the auditor, than are needed, and that they are than are needed, and that they are slated for removal on the first of July. Republicans point to the expected dismissal with pride, but the Democrats are saying, "If they are not needed, why keep them on at all?"

The budget system, when it gets into operation, is going to prove costly, it is

The budget system, when it gets into operation, is going to prove costly, it is being discovered. Not only does it add thousands of dollars to the permanent Government payrolls, in the salaries of the Director of the Budget and his assistant, the Comptroller-General and his assistant and various other less important offices created, but it calls for the installation of a uniform system of accounting, following the abolition of the

the installation of a uniform system of accounting, following the abolition of the six auditors now managing the governmental accounts.

This means, not a reduction in the accounting force but temporarily, at least, an increase. Even in advance of the selection of the budget heads officials in Congress are being besieged with appeals from cuployees who want to be retained.

The reorganization of the United

retained.

The reorganization of the United States Shipping Board, when it comes, probably will require additional forces for a time, although every effort will be

made to keep down the number.

The proposed creation of a department of public welfare, heralded as a reform by its advocates, headed by Dr. Sawyer, the President's personal physician, calls for a large outlay of public funds, mostly in relative. The legislative calendars in both

branches of Congress are jammed with so-called reform measures of various kinds, which on the face of things look good but when analyzed point straight to additional expenditures.

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The public, to be sure, has not fully awakened, but the signs of extreme dissatisfaction are beginning to appear and are expected to increase when Congress reaches actual comparison of receipts and expenditures in considering the proposed revision of taxes.

Many Senators followed closely the series published in The New York Heaald explaining why the promised reductions of expenditures and of taxes has thus far failed to materialize. Senator Smooth (Utah) has carefully saved them and commended them highly to-day, stating that he believed they ought to be read tarefully by every officials of the Government.

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### Pershing May Order Use of the Sam Brown Belt

special Despatch to THE NEW YORK

New York Herald Bureau, Washington, D. C., June 5. THE Sam Brown belt, which was worn by American army officers on duty overseas during the war, is expected to be adopted as regulation equipment to be worn in the United States soon after Gen. Pershing as-sumes the post of Chief of Staff

on July 1. The Sam Brown belt never was allowed to be worn by of-ficers in the United States, under an order issued by Major-Gen. Peyton C. March, Chief of Staff, despite the fact that Gen. Pershing designated its use in France.

In the event that the army adopts the belt as part of the uniform the belief is that the Marine Corps will follow suit for its officers, who also wore the belt in France.

#### **42 IDLE MINERS TAKEN** IN MARTIAL LAW RAID

WILLIAMSON, W. Va., June 5 .- Forty-New York Herald Bureau. Washington, D. C., June 3.

The most powerful factor for Government economy yet discovered in Congress is beginning to assert itself—the power of public protest. The leaders are at their wits' end to know the control of the raid said Capt.

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#### Stolen Automobiles.

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day with the bodies of 1,527 American
soldiers killed overseas during the war.

## DISARMAMENT PLEA **HEARD IN CHURCHES**

Catholics, Protestants and Jews Lift Up Voices for Limiting Forces.

Those who went to church yesterday broughout the nation heard sermons sking for disarmament. It was "Dis rmament Sunday," by request of the Federal Council of Churches of Christ in America, the National Catholic Welfare Council, the Central Conference of American Rubbis and the United Synagogue of America. It was said to be the irst occasion upon which Catholic, Protestant and Jewish denominations and entered upon a single political issue.

Dr. William Pierson Merrill, pastor of Dr. William Pierson Merrill, pastor of the Brick Presbyterian Church, read a letter of Gen. Tasker H. Bilss, former Chief of Staff, which declared that the hurches could obtain limitation of armaments if they wanted, and a form letter urging church members through-out the country to appeal to President Harding and Congress for an interna-tional conference on reduction of arma-ments.

Both of these letters were sent out by Both of these letters were sent out by the combined church organizationa. "The resolution authorizing the President to call such a conference," said Dr. Merrill, "was scarcely more than a pleasant gesture. It sets no time, and it leaves the President free to act or not. The same Senate decisively negatived a motion to check the plans for naval expansion pending the holding of this conference."

penditures, and meanwhile these protests, evidence of which is accumulating daily here, are assuming the proportions of a political cloud that may bestir those responsible to achieve results rather than to make promises.

Letters are coming in from all sections inquiring as to when tax revision will begin and where taxes are to be reduced. They have been stirred up largely of course by debates in the Senate and the House on the navy and army appropriation bills, particularly the protects made by conomy and disarmament advocates in the Senate against the \$28,000,000 increases of the Senate to the naval bill.

have fired upon motorists in the vicinity of the tent colony during the last few weeks.

Dr. Merrill said that 16,000 clergymen had agreed to read the disarmament appeals, and he believed most all in the nation would. "The church can strike hard, and it should," he said. "There is just one reason why America should go on and build the biggest navy in the world, and that is the gratification of the national pride and boastfulness. Doubtless there is some truth in the contention that adequate preparation for war is in the nature of insurance, but a man who would spend 93 per cent. of his income on theft or fire insurance would rightly be judged incompetent to manage his property.

"In our country some 90 per cent. of all our Federal income goes to pay for manded for the quarrel, and his parents are unable to think of any explanation." Dr. Merrill said that 16,000 clergymen

ernment of the United States only 1 per cent. goes for education, and less than 10 per cent. for the peaceful observances of our national life."

Dr. Merrill suggested that if the nation was not ready to go all the way toward disarmament, armament expenditures should be cut to 75 or 50 per cent. of the national budget. He urged tolerance and good will in treatment of Greet. ance and good will in treatment of Great Britain and Japan.

The United States Army transport

## WORLD LEADERSHIP BY U.S. UNFETTERED, HARDING AIM

Continued from First Page.

day. In the turbulence and upheaval of world war, when all humanity was distracted and distressed, the vandals who operate amid calamity have sought to loot suffering civilization. But an America dedicated to its standards of Valley Forge will hold fast and suffer if need be until our inherited institutions are justified and guaranteed anew to this generation and

all posterity. If we could only bring all America to this shrine, if we could bring those who are the natural inheritors and those who come to share our inheritance, we should effect a realization which would strengthen the American resolution.

I am less impressed by our helpful example to the world, in whose firmament there are the shining stars of these beautiful hills, than I am impressed by liberty's bestowal on those who came to join us in the American achievement.

I had an exceptional and unexpected and a most delightful welcome on yesterday afternoon. Before we had fairly viewed our surroundings there came romping and rollicking several hundred school children from Philadelphia, who had come out to Valley Forge to get youth's impress at this patriotic shrine. They voiced a most delightful welcome. They bestowed the reverence of innocence and unselfishness to one called to authority.

#### Studies Children's Faces.

Enthralled as I was by their chorus of cheer and cordiality, I found myself riveted to a study of their faces. Perhaps they were all American born, but their parents came from other lands as well as our own. Among their parents there may have been distinction in employment, in pursults, or in social status, but you could not distinguish it in these hopeful, rollicking children. They were the budding youths of honest, righteous, justice loving democracy, destined to come to radiant bloom in the equality of American opportunity.

This is the heritage from Valley Forge-equality of opportunity, sustained in justice, with maintained authority under law and order. This is what made America; it will lead us to future triumphs.

I like to say to you-perhaps you

like me to say it, because I am answerable to you for the policy of the Republic-I believe I speak what is in your hearts, and in the heart of all America, when I say that we ought to have the courage, the appreciation, the resolution, the conscience and the judgment to maintain unendangered the inherited foundations of the fathers, and ever mindful of their sufferings, still play our part to humanity in the generations to come. I can think of an America that can maintain every heritage and yet help humanity throughout the world to reach a

#### In Commanding Position.

little higher plane.

But when I pledged our America to world helpfulness, at the same time I exact the pledge that America will cling to her own independence of action and to her own conscience. Who can say what to-morrow has for the world? We are only a cen tury and a half from Valley Forge and a century and a third from the adoption of the Constitution, and yet I can say without boasting that ours is a commanding position in the

The world could never settle its present day turmoils and complica-

tions without the helpfulness of American influence and example. Who shall say, if we hold fast to the traditions of Valley Forge, what the future shall have in store?

I want an America of preserved conscience-I want an America of preserved righteousness - aye, an America clinging to the religious devotion which has been the anchorage of our civilization. Who shall say if we cling to these things what we may accomplish? We are already up in the world, but the sun of our national life has not yet fairly approached its meridian. It is only morning in our national life. What is a century and a third in national life? It is only a snap of the finger.

Who can imagine in quaffing the cup of rational American optimism what the future may have in store? I can well believe that long before the sun of national life has passed its meridian-I can well believe that with maintained foundations the one hundred million of to-day will be the myriads of the future. I like to think of them all as loyal Americans with faces to the front, marching on and on to achievement, clinging to their traditions, and joining in a great swelling chorus, "Glory be to God in the highest, on earth peace, good will to men."

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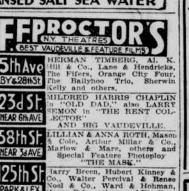
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At luncheon Gov. Sproul and Senator

At luncheon Gov. Sproul and Senator Penrose also were guests at the Knox home, and during the afternoon Senator Knox and his three distinguished visitors had a long talk. The meeting started many stories of impending developments in Pennsylvania politics, but none of the RUPTION IN SALVADOR.

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